



DID YOU KNOW?

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Legal Representation and Assistance

If you have a legal problem, you might want a lawyer to take your case and represent you in court. Or you might want to get a legal opinion about the best course of action. In some areas of law, people with low-income may qualify for free legal help.

Legal Aid (Legal Service Society)

Provides legal advice and representation for individuals who meet the eligibility criteria.

604-408-2172

1-866-577-2525

www.lss.bc.ca

(North Vancouver local agent): 604-980-7000

Law Students Legal Advice Program

Law students who are supervised by lawyers provide free legal advice and representation, regarding some legal problems, for individuals who would otherwise be unable to afford legal assistance.

604-822-5791

www.lslap.bc.ca/

Access Pro Bono

Offer's legal advice and representation to eligible individuals regarding a number of different legal issues through specialized programs.

604-878-7400

1-877-762-6664 www.accessprobono.ca

North Shore Legal Information and Assistance Program

Assists residents of the North Shore with assistance with poverty law issues.

www.NSCR.ca (604-985-7138).

Family LawLine

Family LawLINE lawyers provide brief "next step" advice about family law issues

604-408-2172

From outside Vancouver (1866-577-2525)

www.familylaw.lss.bc.ca/help/

who_telephoneAdviceLine.php

Lawyer-Referral Service

Operators help determine the area of law and a suitable lawyer for individuals. Able to book an appointment with a lawyer which will cost \$25 for 30 minutes.

604-687-3221

1-800-663-1919

www.cbabc.org/For-the-Public/Lawyer-Referral-Service

Rise Women's Legal Centre

Senior law students, supervised by staff lawyers, offer legal services in family law, child protection law, and wills drafting to individuals who self identify as women.

604-451-7447

www.womenslegalcentre.ca

Legal Advocacy Program: Visit

www.povnet.org to find a Law Foundation funded community legal advocate in your area.

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